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SUBJECT: NUCLEAR REACTORS FOR EGYPT AND ISRAEL

1. TODAY'S WIRELESS FILE CARRIES TEXT OF NY TIMES ARTICLE
BY JOHN W. FINNEY ON NUCLEAR REACTORS FOR ISRAEL AND EGYPT.
SEPTTEL REPORTS STATE PRESS SPOKESMAN'S ANSWERS TO REPORTERS
AT NOON BRIEFING.

2. ARTICLE IS PARTIALLY BASED ON UNDER SECRETARY SISCO'S
APPEARANCE BEFORE HAMILTON SUBCOMMITTEE IN OPEN SESSION
SEPTEMBER 16. WHILE ARTICLE LARGELY ACCURATE, IT GOES
CONSIDERABLY BEYOND SISCO TESTIMONY IN SPECULATING ON
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CURRENT ISRAELI AND EGYPTIAN POSITIONS AND DRAWS UNWARRANT-

ED OR PREMATURE CONCLUSIONS ABOUT THEIR LIKELY FUTURE
DECISIONS ON THIS MATTER.

3. IF ASKED, YOU SHOULD FOLLOW DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN'S
LINE, ESPECIALLY THAT WE CANNOT COMMENT ON DETAILS OF
DISCUSSIONS CURRENTLY IN PROGRESS. MAW

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